

Support Available through HQ Contracts for STORET/WQX Tribal Training:

- Guidance on storing water quality monitoring results and information about results (metadata) that allows the Tribe to manipulate, summarize, and analyze them
- Guidance on converting or compiling water quality monitoring results into useful data sets, storing and managing data in an electronic format, validating the data, and reporting the data to the Tribe and EPA
- Provide hands-on activities regarding data-to-information that does not require statistical packages (to include data analysis exercises and techniques which can then be used to design Tribal monitoring strategies)
- Develop a standard template for tribes to use for compiling data in a STORET compatible format
- Provide training and support for tribes on the data template, data management (with particular focus on data flow), WebSIM, WQX, and the WQX Web Tool.

Ongoing Support:

If you have questions about getting your data into a STORET-compatible format or how to submit data to STORET, there are ways to seek help. Table 5 lists some resources that may be helpful to you.

STORET Resources for Tribes

Item	Location
STORET Web site	http://www.epa.gov/storet/index.html
Information on National WebSIM	http://www.epa.gov/storet/national_websim.html
Information on WQX	http://www.epa.gov/storet/wqx.html
STORET Tribal data management template	http://www.epa.gov/storet/national_websim.html
National WebSIM Tutorials and Example Files	http://www.epa.gov/storet/national_websim.html
Data Management Applications	http://www.epa.gov/STORET/otherapps.html
Information on Exchange Network	http://www.exchangenetwork.net/
STORET Helpdesk	1-800-424-9067 or storet@epa.gov
Tribal STORET/WQX Support Line	1-800-844-0638 or at owsupport@rti.org

The STORET helpdesk and Tribal STORET/WQX support line are useful resources to assist you with any issues that arise with STORET/WQX. EPA's STORET helpdesk can set up Organization IDs and enter field/lab procedures into the system. The Tribal support line can answer questions about data management and reporting, or help you troubleshoot problems with STORET/WQX.